

## THE GAZETTE.

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NORTHERN Mexico is said to be in the throes of a revolution, but Diaz may be depended on to nip it in the bud.

THE annual meeting of the grand lodge Knights of Honor was held at San Antonio last week and a good attendance was reported.

THE Rio Grande is on the rampage and seventy-five families are forced to flee from their homes. The smugglers will have to cease work for awhile.

THE State taxable values for 1909 are \$2,296,080,341, an increase of \$123,004,081 over 1908. The new tax law is bringing out the wealth of the country.

THE State Reformatory is to be converted into an industrial reform school, and work will begin on same by September 1. This is a move in the right direction.

It is estimated that the taxable values in Texas for 1909 will have increased about \$80,000,000 over 1908. This looks good and the new law should have the credit for it.

THE North German Lloyd liner Breslau arrived at Galveston last Saturday with 275 immigrants, fifteen of whom are to be deported on account of being afflicted with some contagious disease.

SENATOR Joe Bailey is back in Texas, and his enemies have their ears to the ground to hear him to what he may say. When Joe sets his foot on his native heath, everybody knows it, friends and enemies.

THE appointment of the census takers for Texas are to be equally divided between the Democrats and Republicans, at least it has been so decreed by President Taft, provided Chairman Lyons submits.

THE Arcola sugar plantation and mills, the property of the House estate are to be sold and it is thought this will be sufficient to pay out the House indebtedness in the fall. The property is worth \$750,000.

THE taxable values of Harris county have been fixed at \$100,000,000, and the tax rate at 45 cents on the \$100. Dallas county also has an assessment of \$100,000,000. San Antonio claims a population of 101,994; now for Houston and Dallas.

CANADA and Australia seek to inform Great Britain that Japan is not to be trusted. Great Britain knows that and is doing her best to keep on the good side of Japan for that very reason. Russia has good reason to know this too but failed to see it in time.

THE district judges and the limbs of the law sometimes make as great mistakes as the humblest justice of the peace, as witness the error of District Judge E. R. Campbell in the case against the gamblers at Galveston. The citations in this case failed to designate that the cases were to be tried at a special term

of court, and as a consequence, the cases fell through and the defendants went free. Galveston does not seem to be very much in earnest about prosecuting certain infractions of the law.

HOUSTON may yet prove to be the model city of Texas. At Galveston and San Antonio the local officers seem to be very lax in enforcing the law and the State rangers have to be called on, while Houston seems to be well behaved and law abiding, at least for the present.

### EXCHANGE GOSSIP.

Mr. Adolph Hahnke of Victoria was the guest of Mr. Wm. Hahnke this week.

Mr. Edwin Wolters of Shiner was in the city last week the guest of relatives. Mr. Wolters says they will soon be making beer in the new brewery.

The Sticker is pleased to say that Mrs. Henry Berder (nee Miss Emma Cornelson) who has had such a long siege of sickness, is almost fully recovered.—Schulenburg Sticker.

The commission and the railroads have looked horns on the cotton rate reduction matter—the roads threaten injunction and the commission threatens to throw them into the hands of receivers if they do. They are still scrapping.—Cuero Star.

There will be no reduction in the cotton rate this season, on account of the crop shortage.

The tariff and foreign immigration are questions of vital importance to every producer. Both are at present arranged to serve the interests of the protected few and prevent the great majority from reaping a fair share of the harvest.—Farm and Ranch.

### Angry Antis.

Two representatives from the anti-ranks in precinct No. 8 came in from Smiley Wednesday night and are much perturbed over the result of the local option election held Tuesday in their neck of the woods. These parties urge that the election was technically illegal, and that the anti's of their precinct are going to have it contested in the district court now in session.

Just what the outcome will be in the matter remains to be seen.—Gonzales Inquirer.

### Morris School News.

After an absence of some weeks will try and send some news to the Gazette. Cotton picking is going on very rapidly in our vicinity.

Mrs. Frank Dolecki and two daughters, Aggie and Lily, were visiting at Mr. Brosch's last Saturday and left for their home in Shiner the same day.

Misses Ellie and Clara Brosch spent last Sunday evening with their friend, Miss Thomas.

Mr. Frank Maresh and family were brief visitors at the home of Mr. John Michel Sunday before last.

There will be another one of those grand balls given in Morris School on August 28. So, if you want to enjoy yourself dancing and eating ice cream, then come over here and attend it.

Mr. Hermann Barre is busy picking cotton for Mr. Frank Maresh this week. Mr. Joseph Erdel, Frank Maresh and family, and William Koehler and wife were visiting at the home of Jos. Brosch today.

Mrs. Willie Heider and children were visiting the family of Rudolph Heider Sunday.

Quite a crowd of young folks gathered at the home of the Misses Erdel today. The three Misses Huebner of near Beasley School were out here visiting the Misses Thomas. Luck for you, girls.

News is scarce, so will quit for this time. Sincerely,

### Legal Blanks.

When you need anything in the line of legal blanks, such as deeds, notes, vendor's lien, bills of sale, acknowledgements (single and joint), affidavit to an account, rent contracts, chattel mortgages, etc., remember you can procure them in any quantity at the Gazette office.

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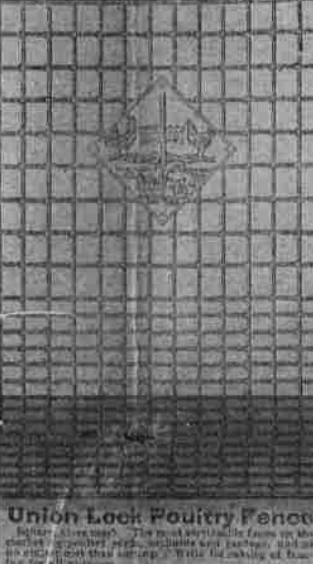
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